May 25, 1959

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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL AGENDA

For the Meeting to be held in the Cabinet Room of The White House on Thursday, May 28, 1959 from 9:00 to 11:00 a.m.

The Secretary of Commerce and the Chairman, Council on Foreign Economic Policy, are being invited to participate in the action on Item 1 below.

ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION

ITEM 2 -- U. S. POLICY TOWARD SOUTH ASIA (NSC 5701; OCB Report on NSC 5701, dated March 18, 1959; Memo for NSC from Executive Secretary, same subject, dated May 22, 1959)

For discussion of the reference Report on the subject by the Operations Coordinating Board, and of the Discussion Paper on the subject prepared by the NSC Planning Board and transmitted by the reference memorandum of May 22, 1959.

ITEM 2 -- POLITICAL IMPLICATIONS OF AFRO-ASIAN MILITARY

(NSC 5820/1; NSC 5429/5; NSC 5701; NSC 5809; Memo for NSC from Executive Secretary, same subject, dated May 22, 1959)

For discussion of an oral presentation by the Department of State on the subject, in the light of a study transmitted by the reference memorandum of May 22, 1959.

ITEM 3 -- SIGNIFICANT WORLD DEVELOPMENTS AFFECTING U. S. SECURITY

For discussion in the light of an oral briefing on the subject by the Director of Central Intelligence.

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